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## FEW PUBLIC BEQUESTS IN B. F. WEBSTER'S WILL

\$160,000 Estate Divided Among Descendents  
With Masonic Lodge and Wentworth Home  
Receiving \$500. Each.--Daughter, Named Executrix.

With bequests of \$500 to St. John's Lodge, No. J. A. P.; and A. M.; \$500 to the Mark H. Wentworth Home, and a lot of land at Short Path in the town of Epsom, the public bequests made in the will of the late Benjamin Franklin Webster comes to an end. The estate, of which the will was filed for probate in the office of Hon. Calvin Page before Judge of Probate Louis Hoyt in a special session Wednesday afternoon, is estimated at \$100,000 and the greater part is divided between his immediate descendants, a son and a daughter being willed the greatest share. The will names his daughter, Miss Stella C. Webster, as the executrix, to serve without bonds.

In his will Mr. Webster shows little eccentricities, especially in that the will was found among a collection of old papers, was written in his own hand and the signature was signed by three witnesses who had not read the will. It was evidently Mr. Webster's intention that the three men witnessing his signature should be beneficiaries and to each of them he bequeathed the sum of \$100. Under the laws of the state, the \$300 reverts back to the estate as a witness cannot be among those named in a will. The witnesses to the signature who lose their bequest are William C. Walton, William D. Randall and Albert R. Jenkins.

Mr. Webster was probably the largest real estate holder in this city and the bulk of this property is left to his daughter, Stella, and his son, Merritt V. Webster of this city, who has returned home after several years which were spent in his official connection with the Boston Transcript in Boston. Daughter and son get about a third of the property. Among this property which goes to his son, Merritt, are eleven lots of land and the buildings as follows:

43 Austin Street, 33 Union St., 35 Union Street, 13 Cabot Street, land and buildings on Coffin's Avenue, 36 Cabot St., 35 Cabot St., 33 Middle St., 60 Pleasant St., 25 State St.

In addition to this real estate Merritt Webster receives under the provisions of the will much personal property:

## THE WEATHER

Forecast for Portsmouth and vicinity—Snow and warmer tonight and Friday; southwest winds.

Sun Rises..... 7:00  
Sun Sets..... 4:42  
Length of Day..... 9:33  
High Tide..... 12:19 am, 12:45 pm  
Moon Rises..... 6:10 pm  
Light Automobile Lamps at..... 6:12 pm

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## JAPAN MAY BREAK WITH ENGLAND

Open Expression of Dissatisfaction That Her Policy in China Has Been Blocked by England.

(Special to The Herald)

Tokio, Jan. 20.—A campaign of great bitterness is being conducted at present by a section of the Tokio press against the Anglo-Japanese alliance. While the attack reflects in some degree the pro-German sympathy which exists in some parts of Japan, they are mainly introduced by the feeling that England stands in the way of the complete execution of Japan's policy toward China. Evidence of the boldness with which this anti-English feeling finds expression is seen in a series of articles now running in the papers. In the articles which bear the caption "A Message to England," the editor of the paper declared that the progress of the war has completely disillusioned the Japanese people, who thought that the war would serve without bonds.

To his granddaughter Ethel D. Healls of Boston, house and land at 68 Pleasant street, this city.

To his grandson, Arthur C. Webster, houses and land at 54 Pleasant St., 68 Pleasant street, this city.

To his brother, John P. Webster,

\$500.00.

To the St. John's Lodge of Masons, sum of \$500.00 to be used for charitable purposes.

To the Mark H. Wentworth Home, sum of \$500.00.

To Albert R. Jenkins, John Adams Lane, Edwin Underhill, W. C. Walton, and W. D. Randall, \$100. each. Messrs. Randall, Jenkins and Walton lose their right to the legacy of \$100, because they were offical witnesses to the will.

The land bequeathed to the Town of Epsom is to be used for the building of a public park and if not so used, under the terms of the will it reverts back to the estate.

He leaves the balance of residue of his estate to his daughter, Stella C.

## DECLARER A DIVIDEND OF 30 PER CENT

Bethlehem Steel Company Makes Announcement of Big Business.

New York, Jan. 20.—A dividend of thirty per cent has been declared on the common stock of the Bethlehem Steel Company. Announcement to this effect was made today following a meeting of the board of directors. This is the first dividend this company has ever paid in its common stock, but it has been predicted for some time that a good dividend would be returned and this has caused great speculation in the stock so that it reached at one time \$600.

At the same time the company announced that a raise of ten per cent had been granted all unskilled labor at the plant of the company, to take effect January 16.

## MRS. MOHR PLANNED DETAILS OF MURDER

Auto Driver Tells Story of the Murder, Which Was According to Plans

(Special to The Herald)

Providence, Jan. 20.—The story of how Mrs. Elizabeth F. Mohr plotted for the murder of her husband, with his assassins the day before he was shot and the story of the murder was told today for the first time by George W. Healls, the death car chauffeur. Healls, who is the state's star witness, testified that Mrs. Mohr summoned Brown, Spellman and himself to her house and promised them \$5,000 for the murder.

Mrs. Mohr was in court unusually early. She smiled as she talked with her counsel and was heard to laugh several times. As usual she was handed a package of letters, but this time she did not bother to read any of them.

Final arrangements for the killing, Healls said, were made by Mrs. Mohr, Victor Brown and himself at Mrs. Mohr's home on the night of Friday, Aug. 27. "Mrs. Mohr asked Brown if we were all ready to do the job," Healls said in his singsong monotone. "Brown said yes, but I said that I was afraid." Brown said, "Get the money, and Mrs. Mohr said she would give me \$2,000. Healls said that Brown asked Mrs. Mohr where she wanted the shooting done. Mrs. Mohr said "that it was better on the Newport side of the ferry," because she knew all of the police on that side and it would be all right. Brown, however, declined to do the shooting on the Newport side.

They left the house and selected the spot where the murder was committed. Healls related his alleged movements and the action of Mohr on Monday and Tuesday before the murder.

On Tuesday night, the night of the shooting, "I went alone to Mrs. Mohr's house and she gave me final instructions and she told me that night was the last chance, as her divorce was coming up the first of September. She told me after it was all over I could have the blue car and she would give me the good job." She said that she would take the children to Atlantic City for a month!

He got down to the killing, saying he went to Miss Berger's house and picked up she and the dog and then to the office after Doctor Mohr. They then set out for Newport a few minutes after eight o'clock.

On Washington road, where Brown had parked, I stopped the car and I got out and then I heard shots. I looked back and saw Miss Berger's head all covered with blood. The doctor was leaning against the side of the car. Miss Berger said, "Oh, Doctor!" She opened the door and fell out of the car, I picked her up and she fell again and I picked her up and took her to the side of the road." From that on his testimony was the same as other witnesses.

"Why did you stop the machine?" asked Attorney Phillips.

"I flooded my carburetor," said Healls.

"What did that do?"

"It stalled my engine."

"Did you do that purposely or by accident?"

"Purposely."

After the killing Healls said Brown met him and told him he had made the fatal visit to Riverton and had come home by motorcycle while Spellman came back by trolley.

The cross examination was started this afternoon.

## MINERS WILL SEND RELIEF TRAINS

Ask Carranza for Military Guard for These Trains.

(Special to The Herald)

El Paso, Jan. 20.—American owners of mines in Northern Mexico are arranging today to send special trains from the border to various districts to bring out hundreds of employees who are in peril of death from raiding Villa bands and bands of Mexican bandits. Unless the Carranza government furnishes military protection the mine owners will ask to have armed guards on every car.

## ENGINEER KILLED IN TRAIN WRECK

(Special to The Herald)  
Winston, Mo., Jan. 20.—Engineer Lewis Collier was killed Monday W.

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## RUSSIA RENEWS HER DRIVE ON CZERNOWITZ

Great Battle Raging Along Bessarabian Front--Czar With His Troops

## FRANCE HOLDS BACK ON BLOCKADE

Not Willing to Stir Up Feeling in the United States Over Loss of Trade.

(Special to The Herald)

London, Jan. 20.—Following the departure today of the French Premier Aristide Briand and his colleagues who took part in the allied war council yesterday, it was learned that France has not fully endorsed the plans of England to tighten the blockade of Germany because of the deteriorating effects it would have upon the United States commerce. England and France are in accord as to the Balkan situation and especially the Greek situation. Both are prepared to make more stringent the grip the allies have on Greece.

## MONTENEGRO RESUMES HOSTILITIES

Breaker With Austria and Battle Resumed Along Entire Front.

(Special to The Herald)

Rome, Jan. 20.—Montenegro has resumed hostilities against the Austrians. It was officially announced at the Montenegrin constituent herd today. It was stated that King Nicholas and the Montenegrin government had rejected the peace terms offered by Austria and that fighting had been resumed on all fronts. King Nicholas and his son, Prince Mihailo, are

## GREAT LOSS BY FLOODS IN THE WEST

Los Angeles, Jan. 20.—At least twelve persons are dead as the result of the heavy rains and consequent floods of the last several days in Southern California. Property damages have been enormous and the loss has run into hundreds of thousands of dollars.

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# FLETCHER RAKES NAVY DEPARTMENT

## Admiral's Report on Deficiencies of Ships and Men is Given Out

A drastic indictment of the shortcomings of the American Navy is contained in the annual report of Admiral F. E. Fletcher, commander-in-chief of the Atlantic fleet which has been given out by orders of the senate. This is the confidential report which Secretary Daniels recently sent to the Senate in response to a resolution introduced by Senator Lodge and adopted by the Senate.

Describing the fact that the Atlantic fleet is far below the complement of officers and men necessary for the efficient operation of the vessels now in active service, Admiral Fletcher catalogues in detail the deficiencies of his command. The report is dated Aug. 15, 1915, and covers the period from Sept. 11, 1914, when Admiral Fletcher assumed command, to June 30, 1915. It includes reports made to the commander-in-chief by subordinate officers of the fleet and of his personal staff.

### Shortage of Men

The admiral states that at the June inspection one division, alone of the fleet, was short 1,350 men. Mine-laying ships, he declares, are 25 per cent below the number of men necessary for proper operation, and he complains of the fact that the department has reduced the complement of the destroyers by 26 per cent.

He states that during the battle efficiency inspection of the battleship class it was found that a chief petty officer was in charge of one turret and that his ensign, who was graduated from the Naval Academy in 1914, was in charge of another. The Florida he reports was short 22 officers, the Utah 23, the Michigan 21 and the South Carolina 16. A pay clerk and a yeoman, he says, were found to be in charge of the plotting room on one of the dreadnaughts doing the work which experienced commissioned officers were supposed to perform.

To that end he advises that the long range firing should be held at Guantanamo or some other little frequented part of the Caribbean.

In order that the fleet shall be made more effective he urges that all vessels now in reserve should be mobilized at least once a year to determine their fitness for use in time of an emergency.

The admiral also criticizes adversely the frequency of the "overhaul periods" fixed for each dreadnaught, although he considers satisfactory the present overhaul period for smaller vessels of the fleet.

**Compared With Other Powers**

Admiral Fletcher says that in January, 1916, he reported a shortage of five thousand men in the fleet and the shortage is now even greater.

Comparing the present system of steering dreadnaughts of the American navy with the systems used by Great Britain and Germany, Admiral Fletcher takes three dreadnaughts of approximately the same size and type from the American, British and German navies and presents the following table:

Officers	Ahovo	Total Grade of Name of ship, Nationality, Officers Ident
Delaware United States	35	

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# Friends and Foes of Administration Defend and Assail Mexican Policy



That congress and the country have been deeply stirred by the outrages of Americans in Mexico was evidenced by the debate on the subject of intervention. President Wilson's policy was severely passed and also defended. Senator Works of California offered a resolution on Vera Cruz. Senator Lodge of Massachusetts was a forcible interlocutor in the debates on the siting of the war. Senator Stone of Missouri, principal defender of the administration and chairman of the committee on foreign relations, pleaded to let the president decide what to do in Mexico, and Senator LaFollette of Illinois also defended Mr. Wilson. Army experts figure that it would take an army of 200,000 men at an enormous cost to pacify Mexico. After riots at El Paso, between Mexicans and United States soldiers and civilians, troops stopped the trouble. It was reported in Texas that the famous Texas rangers, a state body, were ready to cross the line and avenge the murdered Americans. In the pictures No. 1 shows members of the rangers; No. 2, Senator Works; No. 3, Senator Stone; No. 4, Senator Lewis.

Others are being circulated in cities and towns of New England and the North Atlantic states, and are coming in daily. The petitions represent the Navy League's plan to demonstrate to Congress and the Federal Government how strong the sentiment for preparedness at sea has become. It is expected that several hundred thousand names will be obtained. The campaign for signatures will be conducted in every state in the Union, particularly the seaboard states. Many of the signers have enrolled themselves as recruits for the volunteer naval reserve training stations. Those who signed the petitions in Boston are Edwin A. Boardman, Nelson S. Bartlett, Jr., Matthew Bartlett, John A. Burnham, Arthur Noble Blew, Philip R. Ellis, Stephen W. Sleeper, Henry A. Morse, Arthur Winslow, Bertram G. Waters, Sabine P. Sanger, William L. Carlton and Richard Boardman and Osborne Howes of Brockton.

The many friends of Miss Beatrice Billbruck will be pleased to learn that she is recovering from her recent illness.

### DWARFING THE "BEN HUR" RECORDS

Great Business Losses Due to Neglect

For many years the records of "Ben Hur," the colossal production of Gen. Lew Wallace's famous story, have stood unparalleled in America in the matter of attendance. Its success was epoch-making and for two years it flourished at the old Broadway Theatre; something by way of comparison with the present Hippodrome triumph under Charles Dillingham's direction is of timely interest as "Hip Hip Hooray" is about to entertain its millionth delighted patron. When "Ben Hur" completed its second season in New York, theatrical men thought the record would never be equalled and surely never surpassed. "Ben Hur's" clientele was not confined to regular theatre patrons, but the vogue of the wonderful story which had placed it in nearly every library alongside the Bible and Pilgrim's Progress brought to its single presentation crowds from every walk of life, while its melo-dramatic chariot race attracted capacity galleries throughout the long run.

The Broadway theatre at that time seated 1,865 people against the Hippodrome's 5,274. Two matines a week of "Ben Hur" were given regularly while "Hip Hip Hooray" is played twice daily. Figuring on a capacity basis the old Broadway could house 14,220 people in each seat against a possible 63,258 in the six days at the Hippodrome. "Ben Hur" played in 23 weeks the first year to 848,160 people and the subsequent season, which was longer by two months, to about 496,500—a total under one million patrons altogether.

Everything about the Hippodrome is on so large a scale that it is hard to compare it with any other amusement proposition in the world.

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Boston, regarded as the greatest wrestler of his weight living, will meet in Mechanics Building tomorrow night, to wrestle to a finish, best two out of three falls. Steeler, will weigh 265 to 138 for Burns.

Steeler's meteoric rise to fame and his remarkable series of quick wins over many of America's best men, coupled with the fact that he has backed up to \$50,000 to meet Gotch, has excited the greatest curiosity to see this marvel in action and the indications are that the big pavilion, the scene of so many noted encounters will be packed to the rafters when the word is given for the principals to start the ball rolling.

Steeler, younger, battling for recognition, possessing great natural ability of a crude kind, is going against Burns, the "Fox" of the game and one of the most skillful wrestlers in the world. Burns will have behind him the knowledge that he never proved easy for any man not over the mighty Mahonius at a time when the Hogartian was considered even better than Steeler is today. The fans who recall that battle, wrestled three years ago remember that it was one of the finest displays of wrestling the big hall had ever seen. Burns' fearlessness against tremendous odds created the wildest kind of enthusiasm and there are many who feel that he will repeat this when he faces Steeler.

Promoter George Rooney, who has charge of the carnival, has arranged a fine set of preliminaries and has planned to handle a record crowd.

# ROYAL ARCANUM HELD ANNUAL INSTALLATION

NEWLY ELECTED OFFICERS OF  
ALPHA COUNCIL SEATED BY  
PAST GRAND REGENT ROBERT R. CHASE.

Past Grand Regent Robert R. Chase of Manchester, assisted by Past Regent A. P. Wendell, officiated at the installation of officers last evening when the newly elected officers of Alpha Council, No. 53, Royal Arcanum, were seated. The work was performed in the Council Chamber before a large number of the members. Following the work of installation a lunch was served, consisting of sandwiches, cake, ice cream and coffee and cigars.

The officers installed were: P. R.—P. H. Helzer. Reg.—C. H. Woodward. Vice Reg.—E. C. Holmes. Orator—J. T. Sorrell. Chaplain—T. J. Hartney. Secretary—F. L. Hartson. Treasurer—H. O. Prime. Coll.—J. O. Phillips. Guide—A. L. Hersey Jr. Sentry—O. F. Fritz. Warden—D. J. Discoll.

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# WRESTLING

Boston, Jan. 19.—With both men on edge, and fit for the battle of their lives, Jon Steeler, of Dodge, Neb., champion of the world's heavy-weight wrestling championship under catch-as-catch-can rules, and Cyclone Burns of

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FOR PORTSMOUTH AND PORTSMOUTH'S INTERESTS

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The Charter Not All.

A writer has been describing the experiences of Des Moines, Ia., with commission government in a manner to emphasize the fact that good government, municipal or otherwise, is not dependent upon any particular system. It depends wholly upon the people and will be as good as they make it, and no better. This is not to say that there is no choice in systems or that some are not better than others, but government does not work automatically, and where it is what it ought to be, it is because the people exercise their intelligence and discharge the duties of citizenship as they should.

In Des Moines, as in many cities that have sought reform through a change of charters, there was noticeable improvement when the commission form of government went into effect. The manager was selected because of his character and capability, and the men associated with him were similarly fitted for their positions. The people of the city stood solidly behind them and there was great enthusiasm over the new charter, all feeling that the problem of city government had been completely solved. There was reason for this, feeling because conditions had been bad before the change. Ward politics had done its worst and great relief was experienced under the new conditions.

But in time the people grew careless and officials of the right stamp were succeeded by men not so well fitted. In fact, "politicians" began to return to their own and it was discovered that the commission form of government would not of itself insure the desired conditions.

It is not claimed that commission government has proved a failure in Des Moines. On the whole, the affairs of the city are still conducted better than they were before the change, but the management is not as careful as it was immediately and for some time after the adoption of the new charter. This is because the public interest is not as keen as it was. The people imagined that they had a government which would automatically do the business, and they are finding out that they have not.

The lesson of this experience, which is similar to that of many other cities, is plain. It is that political salvation lies in no particular form of government. We boast about "government by the people," forgetting that if this is to be had the people must do their duty, not only on election day, but on every day of the year. When they do this, and not before, will they find public business being conducted as it should be. Every city should adopt the best charter obtainable, but none should imagine that the cure for all its ills lies in the form of the charter, for it does not.

A high endorsement comes to Evangelist Billy Sunday from Cardinal Gibbons of Baltimore, who recently made it known that he has no objection to the Catholic priests of the city joining in the prayers to be offered by the churches for the success of a campaign to be conducted there by Mr. Sunday. The cardinal said he was "glad to approve of the soundness of Mr. Sunday's doctrine in certain great truths neglected by many modern churches."

It was a big haul that safe blowers made a few nights ago in St. Paul, Minn., when they entered the internal revenue office and secured \$5,000 in cash and negotiable revenue stamps worth \$1,000,000. The detectives have not yet finished with the case, and there will probably be more to it before they do. And, with cases of this kind Uncle Sam is not apt to deal leniently.

George R. Lunn, the socialist mayor of Schenectady, N. Y., announces that all forms of vice and law breaking will be severely dealt with during his administration. It is to be hoped he means what he says. Too many municipal administrations are swept into power on the strength of promises of reform, promises which are forgotten in altogether too many cases.

The National Democratic Club begins the campaign by opening a series of bi-monthly lectures on subjects of national importance. There will be lots of lecturing of one kind and another between now and the next presidential election.

Sir Edward Carson, former attorney general of England, in a recent speech dwelt on the rise of the United States as a creditor nation. The same fact has been noticed in this country.

There is one good thing to be said of the cold waves of the winter to date. There have been few of them and all have been short of duration.

Chicago is attempting to rid the city of crime and purge the police department. This is a meritorious undertaking. Also a big one.

What is the present status of affairs in the trenches of the Ford peace party?

## CURRENT OPINION

No Man Actuated by Worldly Ambition Is Fitted For the Ministry.

Let no man enter the ministry who regards the making of money as the legitimate and primary objective of his aim. The ministry is not a money making profession. Its financial rewards are small. Ministers do not starve, but "plain living and high thinking" must be their rule of life. Let no man enter the ministry who is actuated primarily by worldly ambition—that is, who seeks chiefly place and position in society or power over his fellow men.

The ministry is to me the highest and finest of all possible vocations. Moreover, I believe the ministry is growing and is destined to grow in the reach of its power, the wideness of its service, the height of its influence and the richness of its opportunities.

It is the fullest, largest kind of a man's job for the fullest and largest kind of a man.

Nearly every one of the great institutions and organizations that minister to the common weal in education, medicine, the care of the poor, the dependent and the defective—schools, hospitals, charity organizations, social settlements and social service movements—nearly all these forms of social and altruistic service to humanity can be traced directly or indirectly to the Christian church and the Christian ministry.—By Right Rev. C. D. Williams, Episcopal Bishop of Michigan.

## The Observer

It is with pleasure that the writer learns that there is a strong movement on foot not only in New Hampshire, but in other states to have more attention paid to the three R's, especially to reading and spelling in the public schools. For a number of years very lax methods of teaching spelling were employed, and in consequence, the spelling as displayed by many high school graduates is of the crudest order. In some cases, words of one syllable being mis-spelled. To the average newspaper man there is nothing more obnoxious than to receive an article or communication that contains many words that are mis-spelled and it is sincerely hoped that a reform in this direction is contemplated.

Letter Carrier Harry H. Foote is well known for his activity in secret organizations and this week was installed in office in three different organizations. In each case the duties of the office were nothing new to Mr. Foote as he had already filled these offices before and is accustomed to the duties. On Monday evening he was made third sword bearer in the De Witt Clinton Commandery, Knights Templar for the ninth consecutive year. On the following evening he was installed as Master of Bacheveron in Damon Lodge, No. 9, Knights of Pythias for the twelfth consecutive year and he is styled by some of his brother Knights as "the watch dog of the treasury," owing to his faithful services in this order. On Thursday evening he was inducted into the office of treasurer of Kearsarge Lodge, N. E. O. P., for the twentieth consecutive time. This is a record hard to equate by many secret society officials.

Moving pictures which hit a strong drawing card in this city, are causing a great degree in the attendance at the meetings of local secret organizations. This is said to be more noticeable at the meetings of women's lodges than those which the male sex predominate. At the recent installation ceremonies of a women's lodge it is said that the attendance was less than one half of that of a year ago and one of the members in confiding on the fact said that if the moving pictures continued to be so strong an attraction that it would only be a short time before they would be unable to get enough members out to transact the routine lodge business.

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### CARD OF THANKS.

We take this method of thanking all neighbors and friends for their expressions of sympathy and kindness to us in our recent bereavement, also for the beautiful floral tributes.

Mr. W. C. McCallin.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dame.

John A. Peterson.

Floral Tributes.

Pillow, "At Rest"; pillow, "Daughter"; wreath, George A. Murray; 12" spray pink; Mr. and Mrs. John Emery; Dover; spray, Mrs. Josiah Stackpole; Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Stackpole; Dover; spray, pink; Mrs. Elizabeth Harrison; Mr. Ford Harrison; spray roses; Mrs. Bertie Foye and son; spray pink; Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Shaw; Mr. and Mrs. Edward Shaw; Mr. and Mrs. Oren Shaw; spray pink; Miss Edna Hale; spray pink; Mr. and Mrs. Fred Dame; standing star, Juvenile Home; pie, No. 2, 1; G. T. spray, Old Ladies' Circle; spray, Red Men; spray W. C. T. U.; galy wreath, L. O. G. T. star; Star Lodge; Odd Ladies; spray Court Street Christian church; round Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Wendell; spray pink; Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Nicholl; spray pink; Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Pike; spray pink; Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Fowler; spray pink; Mrs. Mary Cornelius; Mr. and Mrs. John Cornelius; spray pink; Mr. Eugene Williams and family; spray pink; Mrs. Gladys Perkins; Miss Grace Goodwin; spray pink; Mr. and Mrs. Charles R. Goodwin; and family; spray; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Frank Thompson; spray pink; Mr. and Mrs. William Smith; spray pink; Mr. and Mrs. George Wright; round Mr. Horace Gray; Mrs. Gardner; Wilton; spray pink; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Downing; spray pink; Mrs. Clara B. Cook.

Stop when you pick up your paper—today—for example—and look through the advertising pages.

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Do they offer lower prices?

Do they tell you of advantages you are not enjoying?

Think! Investigate! Reason. It's up to you.

What is the present status of affairs in the trenches of the Ford peace party?

## GALLINGER INTRODUCES BILL FOR DRY DOCK

(Special to The Herald)

Washington, Jan. 20.—Senator Gallinger of New Hampshire today introduced a bill in the senate for a dry dock one thousand feet long, big enough to accommodate the biggest battleship and costing not more than two million dollars at the Portsmouth navy yard. The bill would make \$250,000 available for beginning of construction.

## LOCAL TEACHERS GET PENSIONS

Miss Susan F. Drake and Mr. John S. Montgomery, Aged Teachers, Are on the List.

Fifty-six teachers are now receiving pensions from the state under the provisions of the law enacted at the last session of the legislature.

All of these have been enrolled since last September. For the most part they are teachers who had been retired sometime prior to the enactment of the law, but all of whom were eligible and worthy of assistance. One of the beneficiaries named has already died.

Manchester leads in the number of pensioners with 12. Keene has seven; Dover 6; Nashua, 5; Concord, 3; Portsmouth, Exeter, Newfields, Sutton and Belmont, two each; Gilman, Derry, Sunapee, Woodstock, Warner, Claremont, Weare, Lebanon, Merrimack, Campion, Danville, Tilton, Lancaster and Berlin has one each.

In this connection local immigration officers today recalled that an escaped German prisoner of war, arriving in Boston as a stowaway on a vessel after he had fled from a French prison, was admitted to the country upon fulfillment of the ordinary immigration requirements.

The two Portsmouth pensioners are Miss Susan F. Drake, who is over 50 years of age and who taught here a great many years. She is now blind and the pension will be a great help to her. She was one of the first to be granted a pension and she is one of the oldest in the state.

The other local pensioner is Mr. John S. Montgomery of Cabot street, who for so many years was a teacher of penmanship. All of the pensioners have taught school for over 30 years.

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## EDUCATING THE ENEMY

German Officer Establishes School in Poland.

Berlin, Jan. 20.—Lieut. Hellwig, who was a school teacher in Nassau before the war broke out, writes to the "Algemeine Schuleblatt" an educational monthly published at Wiesbaden:

"We are stationed in a small town east of Warsaw and have very little to do as we are far behind our front. Recently I received orders to organize a school for the children of the town. After several conferences with the local authorities I started my work, using the vacant residence of a wealthy lumber dealer who had fled to the interior of Russia, for a schoolhouse. In a storage house I found a number of benches, which formerly had done duty in a Jewish private school, and also I procured a blackboard and a few other necessary things."

"The children of the town, most of whom never had been inside a schoolhouse were notified by the police that they would have to present themselves for induction. About two hundred boys and girls between the ages of six and fourteen years appeared and they were all sorry looking lot.

"With dirty faces and unkempt hair the boys, palely rushed into my improvised hall of learning. Most of them wore fur caps that had been left behind by Cossacks and their principal garments were large fur coats."

"Although the ground was frozen, many of the boys wore no shoes while the footwear of the others consisted of old horse boots that once belonged to father or mother."

"The girls at least a few of them were not quite so dirty. Some even had combed their hair, but their dress consisted of all kinds of old cast-off garments of adults and, only a few were stockings. Only the Jewish girls were really tidy and their intelligent faces and neat appearance distinguished them favorably from the rest of the crowd."

"It was almost impossible to keep the children quiet but I finally succeeded in getting their attention and started to divide them into classes with the aid of a sergeant who speaks Polish. Most of the Jewish children understood at least some German and I organized them into special classes which I am instructing myself. About forty Polish and Russian boys and girls who have received some instruction in private schools were taken in charge by Lieut. Harbeck who is trying to educate them with the help of our Polish-speaking sergeant."

"The rest of the children, about one hundred were turned over to a Polish woman teacher who has been engaged by us. These youngsters have practically grown up wild and they can only be given kindergarten instruction at present, although many of them are twelve and fourteen years old. In a few months, after a little discipline has been drilled into them, we will teach them to read and write."

"With the results obtained so far, I am more than satisfied. The Jewish children are model pupils and make astonishing progress. Many of the Polish and Russian boys are also beginning to show great interest in their studies and they are now learning to keep themselves clean. Not one of them comes to school unshaved or unkempt, and all are very well attached to their teacher. By next summer I hope to have an excellent school, if I am not ordered to the front again."

At Home With the Grippe

Chief Clerk B. L. Chaney of the supply department is confined to his home with a severe case of the grippe.

Ordered to Haiti

Quartermaster Sergeant Brooks of the marine guard, attached to the yard barracks was ordered to duty in Haiti today and will sail on the Tennessee on Friday.

Blocks for the New Ship

A carload of blocks manufactured at the yard were shipped today to New York by New York Shipbuilding Company for the U. S. S. Pennsylvania.

Appointed Carpenter

Chief Carpenter's Mate H. P. Lyons formerly attached to the South Pacific fleet, was appointed carpenter in the service with commission dated Jan. 19. Another appointment to the rank of carpenter was that of Chief Carpenter, Milt Trenner, of the Seafairers, with commission of the same date.

Gained Back to Work

Three patternmakers who have been on furlough for lack of work were called back by the Industrial Department today.

Gave a Turkey Supper

Joseph Mott of Newington, the owner of the Radio Electric Co., gave a turkey supper in America for the benefit of the men of the Thomas Electric Oil Company.

What is the present status of affairs in the trenches of the Ford peace party?

## Mark-Down SALE

Nothing grows old in this store. We are closing out shoes bought for this season.

You profit by buying these shoes at Reduced Prices.

Women's \$4.00 and \$3.50 Shoes at \$2.49

Women's \$3.00 Shoes at \$2.19

Men's Tan and Black \$3.50 Rubber Soled Shoes at \$2.49

Some Children's Shoes.

COME and see for yourself. We cannot enumerate in this space the things we have to offer.

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11 Congress Street.

## NEW YORK OPEN TO FLEET ATTACK

Gen. Weaver States That Modern Fleet Would Have Port at Their Mercy.

(Special to The Herald)

Washington, Jan. 20.—Two great American seaports, New York and San Francisco would be at the mercy of an enemy fleet armed with modern long range naval guns, according to General Weaver, chief of the Coast Artillery division of the war department. General Weaver told the house military committee that the war department classed the situation at San Francisco and New York as urgent. He said steps were being taken to remedy conditions in the coast defense at these ports.

## GIVES WARNING TO GREAT BRITAIN

Senator Hoke Smith Says Blockade Is a Conspiracy on Part of England.

(Special to The Herald)

Washington, Jan. 20.—Pain warning to Great Britain that the United States will retaliate in her proposed blockade with an ironclad embargo, is given by Senator Hoke Smith of Georgia in a speech in the senate today. The senator described the British interference with American commerce as part of a carefully planned conspiracy to depress raw cotton prices by cutting off the northern European market.

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### NOONE ADVISES THE PRESIDENT

Concord, Jan. 19.—EX-COUNCILLOR ALBERT W. NOONE left for Waterville, Me., today where he is to duty as a director of the People's National Bank of that city.

Before going, however, he told a few friends confidentially that he has written a letter to President Woodrow Wilson suggesting ex-Governor Samuel D. Feltzer of Rochester for the place vacant on the U. S. supreme court bench.

Mr. Noone, also declared that he has not stopped with the letter to the President, but has written to several others, including Senator Henry F. Hollis in Washington to use their good offices for the Democratic ex-governor of New Hampshire.

#### ACCIDENT CASES

The public service commission of New Hampshire is giving a hearing today on the fatal accident cases of Concord.

## NAVY WILL NOT SPEND THE MONEY

### Topeka Liable to Get Hands of Junk Man.

What will finally become of the former prison ship Topeka at the navy yard, seems to be a question and it is not a bad guess that the ship goes to the junk man.

The navy department last year found that the ship was not really needed as a floating prison and she was placed out of commission and offered to the Illinois Naval Militia for training purposes.

It is understood that the vessel was accepted and last November two officers of the militia from that state came here to take a look at the vessel. They found that she was simply a shell and that nothing remained but her decks, etc. This was a surprise to the Illinois men as they thought the vessel was in shape for such service as the militia would require.

Now the state of Illinois wants the navy department to replace the hulls and engines and other necessary equipment aboard the ship at the expense of the national government in order to make her fit for service.

It is estimated that the cost of this work would be nearly \$100,000 and that the government will not expend this amount to make the ship ready for sea duty.

The state of Illinois has no such money to lay out on the vessel and the Topeka is liable to lay at her berth in the back channel until the highest bidder among the junk men takes her over for scrap.

## KITTERY

### DRUNKARDS SAVED

We are in earnest when we ask you to give ORHINE a trial. You have nothing to risk and everything to gain, for your money will be returned if after a trial you fail to get results from ORHINE. This offer gives the wives and mothers of those who drink to excess an opportunity to try the ORHINE treatment. It is a very simple treatment, can be given in the home without publicity or loss of time from business. Can be given secretly without patient's knowledge.

ORHINE is prepared in two forms: No. 1, secret treatment, a powder; ORHINE No. 2, in pill form, for those who don't like voluntary treatment. Costs only \$1.00 a box. Ask for book "Boardman & Norton, Cor. Pleasant and State Sts."

## SHOE NEWS

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When you install electricity you not only provide the finest lighting system, but you equip your home for the use of the many electrical appliances which are so fast coming into everyday use.

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Reading ..... Mrs. Eliza Cochran  
Descriptive talk on "Montana Home Standing" ..... Harry Longstaff  
Following the program ice cream will be served.

Miss Norma Smith of the Whipple road is able to be out doors again after an illness.

The Ladies' Aid meeting to have been held today at the home of Mrs. U. H. Swett, Love Lane, has been postponed until Friday afternoon.

The funeral of George Terry was held at four o'clock this afternoon at the Second Methodist church. Rev. William M. Forgrave officiating. The church was filled with relatives and friends of the deceased and there were many beautiful floral tributes. Mrs. Leslie Corbin very effectively rendered a vocal solo, with Mrs. Arthur Baker as accompanist. Interment was in Orchard Grove cemetery.

Mrs. M. H. Leighton passed today with Mrs. Willard Chick of North Kittery.

Miss Alma Blodell of York has been passing a few days in town the guest of her sister, Mrs. Arthur Baker of Love Lane.

Mrs. Edith Blodell of Walley's Crossing, who has been quite ill, is improving.

Mrs. Leslie Corbin of Rogers road has been entertaining her father, John Dempsey of Dorchester, Mass., for the past few days.

Mrs. James Ulsted of Whipple road has returned from Keene where she has been passing a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Blaney have taken the house on Rogers road recently vacated by Mr. and Mrs. George Snow.

Mrs. Georgia Bowden Terry and daughter, Miss Elton M. Bowden arrived today from Keene, N. H., to attend the funeral of Mr. Terry.

Mrs. Willard Chick of North Kittery went to Newburyport on Wednesday to attend the funeral of Miss Elizabeth Richards who was well known in town as she was a summer visitor here.

Following the meeting of the Phoebe's in the vestry of the Second Christian Church on Friday evening, an advancement social will be held. Each member is requested to bring either candy or peanuts.

Mrs. Rufus Remick who has been passing a week in town, called here by the death of her father, George Muhomore of North Kittery, has returned to her home in Malden, Mass.

A meeting of the degree staff of York Rebekah Lodge will be held tonight for rehearsal.

Miss Mary Bradford of Wentworth street has been visiting relatives in Boston.

Mrs. Edward Gillispie of Pleasant street is restricted to the house by illness.

Mrs. James Gerry of Commercial street has been called to Springfield, Mass., by the serious illness of her mother.

Mr. and Mrs. George Snow of Rogers road have shipped their household goods to Ryepond, N. H., where the former is at present employed. Mrs. Snow will join her husband the latter part of the week.

Miss Louise Newson of Ferry Lane has concluded her duties in Portsmouth.

### STOP CATARRHI, OPEN NOSTRILS AND HEAD

Says Cream Applied in Nostrihs Relieves Head-Colds at Once.

If your nostrils are clogged and your head is stuffed and you can't breathe freely because of a cold or catarrh, just get a small bottle of Ely's Cream Balm at any drug store. Apply a little of this fragrant antiseptic cream into your nostrils and let it penetrate through every air passage of your head, soothing and healing the inflamed swollen mucous membrane and you get instant relief.

All! How good it feels. Your nostrils are open, your head is clear, no more hawking, sniffling, blowing, no more headache, dryness or struggling for breath. Ely's Cream Balm is just what sufferers from head colds and catarrh need. It's a delight.

### FUNERAL NOTICE

The funeral of Miss Sarah H. Parker will be held from her late home in Kittery, Saturday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock. Friends invited.

## ANOTHER FAKE FROM BORDER LAND

### Report of Capture of U. S. Cavalry Men Not True.

(Special to The Herald)

Washington, Jan. 20.—Gen. Funston, commanding the army along the Texas border, wired the war department today that the report of the capture of the United States cavalry men was false. Gen. Funston stated that Mexicans raided American property and that a detachment of cavalry was sent after them. One of the soldiers was shot in the fight which took place.

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Robert H. Chase of Manchester was a visitor here on Wednesday.

Miss Nellie Thompson of Boston was a visitor here on Wednesday.

William J. Carter and Thomas A. Wald passed the day in Boston.

C. A. Moore of West Chester, Pa., was a visitor here on Thursday.

Mrs. Howard Berry is ill at her home on McDonough street with pneumonia.

Miss Jessie Cameron has joined the nursing staff at the Portsmouth hospital.

Mrs. Charles Smith of Hanover street is restricted to her home by illness.

Mr. and Mrs. John Robinson of Chelsea, Mass., are passing a few days in this city.

Mrs. Lillian Thompson of Canton, Mass., is the guest of friends in this city.

John Quinlan, a well known resident of Rochester, N. H., was a visitor here on Thursday.

John Woods of Northwest street on Thursday reached another milestone in life's journey.

Mr. George Gray and family have returned from a visit with relatives in Springfield, Mass.

Mrs. James C. Osborne of Hanover street, who has been very ill with the grippe, is now greatly improved.

Angus Balley, wife chief of the New England Telephone Company in this city is on a business trip to Boston.

Miss Florence Baker of Roslindale, Mass., is passing a few days with friends in this city.

Sheilaune Merrill of Boston was here on business on Thursday connected with the Morley Button Company.

G. K. Thornton of Salem, conductor of the Boston and Maine railroad, was here on Thursday on business.

Miss Agnes Hurley, a graduate of the Portsmouth training school, is doing substitute work at the Franklin school.

William S. Wright, formerly of this city, is reported as being seriously ill at the Sea View hospital at Staten Island, L. I.

Mrs. Ernest L. Chaney of High street left on Thursday afternoon for Lynn, Mass., being called there by the illness of her mother.

William James of Newburyport, one of the best known sporting men in this section of New England was here on Thursday renewing old time acquaintances.

John O'Neill is at the Portsmouth Hospital, following a serious operation performed a few days ago by a Boston specialist. His many friends hope for his speedy recovery.

Mrs. F. E. Payne who has been staying at the Buckingham with her husband, Hospital Steward Payne, of the U. S. S. Tennessee, left on Thursday morning for her home at Newport, R. I.

### NO DATE SET FOR CANAL OPENING

War Department Notified That Conditions Forbid Setting of Date.

(Special to The Herald)

Washington, Jan. 20.—In response to a query of Secretary of War Garrison, Major Gen. George W. Goethals notified the war department that the report that the Panama canal would be opened on Feb. 15 was without foundation. He said it was impossible to say exactly when the canal would be open.

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# The COLONIAL THEATRE

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### VAUDEVILLE PERSONALS PICTURES

For Thursday, Friday,  
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### PICTURES

Wednesday and Thurs-  
day

"THE LITTLE SISTER OF THE  
POOR"—Lubin Drama. Just re-  
leased Monday.

"THEM WAS THE GOOD OLD  
DAYS!"—Vitagraph Comedy.

"ALMOST A KING"—Kalem Comedy.

"BROUGHT HOME"—Two-part Es-  
tanay Drama.

### NAVY NOW IN TOUCH WITH ALL STATIONS

### Wireless Communication Is Possible Between Wash- ington and All Island Possessions.

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George Terry.

The funeral services of George Terry were held from the Methodist church in Kittery, today at 3 p. m. Rev. Mr. Forgrave officiating. Interment was in Orchard Grove cemetery in charge of Undertaker A. T. Parker.

Mrs. Ellen S. Tucker.

The funeral services of Mrs. Ellen S. Tucker, wife of Alfred W. Tucker were held at her late home on the Old Road, Eliot on Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Rev. M. V. McAllister, pastor of the Congregational church conducted the service and interment was in the family lot in Mt. Pleasant cemetery, under the direction of Undertaker H. W. Nickerson.

NOTICE—DR. H. E. FULLER, Dentist.

I wish to inform my patrons and the public that I will be located at 9 Congress street on and after Jan. 14, instead of at Ladd and Market street.

DR. H. E. FULLER, Dentist.

FUNERAL NOTICE.

Funeral services of Mrs. Helen L. Latting will be held at Christ church on Madison street, Saturday forenoon at 10 o'clock.

The skating on the North Pond is excellent and notwithstanding the cold weather on Wednesday evening there was a large crowd of skaters of both sexes. A huge bonfire lighted on the pond and also afforded the skaters an opportunity to warm themselves.

DERRY-HAMPSTEAD CASE GOES  
TO JURY

The case of Louise Livingstone, the 16-year-old Derry girl, who, though

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# MONTENEGRO REJECTS AUSTRIA'S TERMS

**Asserts Demands on Her Are Too Severe and Diplomatic Relations Have Been Broken Off.**

London, Jan. 19.—The following official statement was issued today:

"The wireless news of the surrender of the Montenegrin army appears somewhat premature. It is now announced from another source that negotiations between Austria and Montenegro have been broken, the conditions of surrender imposed by Austria having been found quite unacceptable by Montenegro.

"The King, the royal family and the diplomatic corps are about to proceed to Italy."

Betrayed by Nicholas?

According to reports received by the Exchange Telegraph Company from Cettigne, King Nicholas of Montenegro issued a proclamation to his people declaring that surrender was necessary in order to prevent the complete ruin of his country. The white flag was hoisted at Grajewo, where the King handed his sword to General Tertes, Generals Ostovic and Valintovio, refusing to surrender, escaped and joined the Serbians.

The charge that Montenegro agreed with Austria even before the outbreak of the war to cede Mount Lovcen and that the defense of the mountain was only sufficient to pull the suspensions of the Entente Allies, is made by a correspondent of the Rome *Ideas Nazionale*. "Montenegro allowed the Austrians to take Kuc, which was practically impregnable," says the correspondent, and when the Government retired to Podgoritzia, President Gulanovitch of the State Council and other high officials remained in Cettigne with orders to yield the capital to the Austrians without opposition. Italy recently sent an enormous quantity of provisions to re-victimize the Montenegrins and Serbian armies, but the provisions were left rotting on the quays at San Giovannino di Meina, Albania, although there was plenty of means of transport to the interior. Instead of repairing the Medina-Sentari road the Montenegrins repaired the Okavka-Sentari road, facilitating the Austrian anti-Serbian operations. The food was not carried into the interior. In order to induce the population to believe that they were deserted by the Allies and that hence there was necessity for Montenegro joining the Austro-Germans."

Fault of the Allies

A considerable share of the editorial space in the morning newspapers to-

day is devoted to Montenegro's surrender, which is generally characterized as the work of court influences with dynastic rather than national aims. "This is a sorry end to the glorious history of Montenegro," says the *Morning Post*, "which henceforth will be only a vassal state of Austria."

The Times says: "However much legal and personal considerations entered into the decision of King Nicholas, however much it was facilitated by subterranean relations of this kind re-acted some years ago in the notorious Austro-Montenegrin high treason trial at Cettigne. It is unquestionable that it would not have been reached but for the German victories. The capitulation of Montenegro is a signal to the Allies that they cannot hope to win without greater vigor and foresight."

Ceased Hostilities Monday

Berlin, via wireless to Sayville, N. Y., Jan. 19.—The official communication of the Austro-Hungarian headquarters dated Tuesday, says:

"The negotiations concerning details for the capitulation of the Montenegrin army began Monday afternoon, and the Austro-Hungarian troops, which mean time had occupied Virbazar and Rieka, ceased hostilities."

According to a dispatch from Austro-Hungarian war press headquarters, the Austro-Hungarian troops before the submission of Montenegro were on a line running to the west of Virbazar, north of Rieka, northeast of Ubli and north of Grajewo. Rieka is the second capital of Montenegro, where the king's winter palace is located, and whence a steamer line runs along the river to Virbazar and Sentari. Virbazar is the terminus of the railroad from Antivari, and is the most important harbor on Sentari Lake. The Istra and Virbazar basins are the most fertile regions in Montenegro.

Austro-Hungarian troops who entered Cettigne found the town well kept and clean, and the population peaceful, friendly and suffering from no privations, says a Berlin Overseas News Agency announcement. The Austrian officers received offers of houses of residents as quarters, adds the News Agency, which declares that the relations between the population and the troops were generally excellent. "In the Arsenal," adds the announcement, "much booty was found, including machine guns, with ammunition, rifles, revolvers, tools and machines, all in ex-

cellent order. The king's palace evidently had been left in haste by its occupants. King Nicholas' study table was found covered with documents, among which was the king's patent as an honorary colonel of an Austro-Hungarian regiment."

Salonica's Attack Is Due

London, Jan. 19.—A despatch from Salonica says:

"Contradictory reports regarding the plans of the enemy are circulating here. Although an attack on Salonica each day seems more improbable, information from a quite reliable source indicates that the offensive will begin today. According to this report it will be led by the Germans and Bulgarians on the Glevgell-Monastir front. The Turks under the command of Enver Pasha and Field Marshal Liman von Sanders. It is reported, at the same time will attack from the east Field Marshal von Mackensen, who will take supreme command of the Teutonic Allies, is awaited."

Alleged Outrages at Salonic

The Berlin Overseas News Agency quotes the Athens newspaper *Nea Hinaria* as declaring that on Dec. 26 last French officers entered a Salvation church and carried valuable paintings and objects from the edifice. Other charges of a serious nature against French officers at Glevgell also were printed, declares the News Agency, which adds:

"The same newspaper several days later in commenting on its own article, said that repeated this news in order to give the Entente ministers and the French military authorities an opportunity to start an investigation and punish the guilty officers but that nothing of the sort was done."

Greek Troops To Be Moved West

The Paris *Temps* Athens correspondent says the Greek Government has sent another protest to the legations of the Entente Powers regarding the destruction of the railroad bridges at Demir Hisar and Kilitbiri. The correspondent adds that it is reported that Greek troops in Eastern Macedonia will be transferred, owing to the difficulties encountered in provisioning them.

Italy Completes Recapture

Rome, Jan. 19.—The War Office communication made public says:

"Along the front from Selyv to the sea there has been great activity by the enemy artillery in an attempt to hinder our reinforcement. Our artillery replied efficiently."

"On the heights northwest of Gorizia a counter-offensive we had decided upon opened the morning of the fifteenth and terminated with full success. Despite the enemy's resistance, supported by a violent artillery fire, our brave troops recaptured all the trenches they had previously abandoned and our original line is now completely re-established.

"Enemy aviators, flying yesterday over the Isonzo were everywhere put to flight by our anti-aircraft guns. One of our aviators bombarded Volano, in this valley of Liguria, where Austrians were observed."

Germans Evacuate Lutsk?

Petrograd, Jan. 19.—Lutsk the important fortress in Volhynia, one of the triangle of fortifications there, is being evacuated by the Germans, according to information obtained from prisoners arriving at Kiev.

Russians Advance in Asia

Petrograd, Jan. 19.—The following official communication was issued:

"Contrary to the enemy's assertion the Russian offensive is developing favorably in Persia and the Caucasus. The Russians capturing strong Turkish positions with relatively slight losses and taking from the enemy twelve guns with huge quantities of munitions and numerous prisoners. Some of the Turkish regiments were annihilated.

"In the course of the fighting of the 18th we took 96 prisoners, 24 Turkish officers, and over 200 men and captured gun, and quantities of rifles, materials, tents and provisions."

Tentor Allies Talk Cost

London, Jan. 19.—The Exchange Telegraph Company's Amsterdam correspondent says that a conference of the finance ministers of Germany, Aus-

## RID STOMACH OF GASES, SOURNESS, AND INDIGESTION

"Pape's Diapepsin" ends all stomach distress in five minutes.

You'll know it when your stomach's bad—an uncertain one—or a harmful one—your stomach is too valuable; you mustn't injure it with drastic drugs.

Pape's Diapepsin is noted for its speed in giving relief; its harmless; its certain-unfailing action in regulating sick, sour, gassy stomachs. Its millions of cures in Indigestion, dyspepsia, gastritis and other stomach trouble has made it famous the world over.

Keep this perfect stomach doctor in your home—keep it handy—get large fifty-cent case from any drug store and then if anyone should eat something which doesn't agree with them; if what they eat lays like lead, ferment and sour and fortis gas; causes headache, dizziness and nausea; crætation of cold and undigested food—remember as soon as Pape's Diapepsin comes in contact with the stomach all such distress vanishes. Its promptness, certainty and ease in overcoming the worst stomach disorders is a revelation to those who try it.

### HINDENBURG TALKS OF HIS FAMOUS VICTORY.

Berlin, Jan. 20.—A correspondent of the *Berliner Tageblatt* writes from the headquarters of the German army in Russia:

"A few weeks ago the German Emperor attended divine service in the little protestant church of Vilna. Behind the monarch sat his greatest army leader Field Marshal von Hindenburg. During the entire service the famous general did not move even a muscle of his face. He seemed to be a statue of bronze. When, at the end of the service he arose with the Emperor stretching his gigantic body, he was the personification of force and self-confidence. And so he appeared to me today, when he received me in company with a number of other war correspondents."

"An army leader has to remain calm in all circumstances," the great Field Marshal said. "If a commander becomes nervous his subordinates lose their heads completely and disaster is sure to follow."

"One of us mentioned the battle of Tannenberg, where the Field Marshal won his most glorious victory. Then we talked of the terrible destruction caused by the Russian troops and the misery of the Germans, Jews, Poles and Lithuanians who were driven from their homes by the soldiers of the Czar. "The methods employed by the Russians are more than barbarous, they are terrible," Hindenburg said. "I never forget how I met our East Prussian fugitives a few days before the battle of Tannenberg. The unfortunate, with the few possessions they had dragged along, were camping on the sides of the roads, which had to be kept open for the movements of our troops. My heart became heavy within my breast when I saw all this misery and I asked myself: 'What will be the fate of these poor people if I do not win. If I have to retreat and the unfortunate have again to be given up helplessly to the Russians? It was the saddest moment of my life, but sense of duty conquered the depression which threatened to overpower me in sight of so much misery.'

"To plan and direct a battle is a serious matter," the Field Marshal continued. "Everything depends on the spirit. The battle really is a contest between the two commanders. You always ask yourself: 'Who will be the smart and more resolute, I or my opponent?' That fascinates and makes the nerves hard as steel. After his initial successes in Eastern Prussia commander Gen. Rennenkampf, belittled the German army in full retreat on Koensberg and he massed his troops for a decisive battle in front of this fortress. While he was preparing the crushing blow which he hoped to strike I attacked at Tannenberg; I had guaranteed my opponent and the result was Russian disaster."

"To be successful an army leader has to be brave, prudent, self-confident and calm," the Field Marshal concluded. "Sometimes great victories are won by reckless daring, and sometimes by prudence. These two characteristics ought to be evenly mixed in every general. Too much prudence is not desirable, because many a battle is lost by hesitation. It has always been my principle to strike wherever I can and my chief-of-staff fully agrees with me."

We tried to get the great leader to talk about the present situation and the probable future developments of the war, but he declined to be questioned and cut us short with the first remark: "One of the first duties of a commander is to keep his mouth shut."

His Size

The Judge—You say your wife assaulted you with a dangerous and deadly weapon? What was it?

Mr. Pewee—It was a fly swatter, Your Honor—Judge.

For any pain, burn, scald or bruise, apply Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil—the household remedy. Two sizes, 25c and 50c at all drug stores.

A talkative general never accomplishes anything."

This is also the program of Hindenburg's chief-of-staff, General von Laudenbörff. Like his superior, Laudenbörff takes no stock in hopes which do not rest solidly on military successes. He is just as sceptical about revolutions in Russia and India. as Hindenburg's estimation of Prussia is too large for a general revolution and the Field Marshal is convinced that the local uprisings which may occur here and there in the Empire of the Czar will not materially influence the course of the war.

In a rebellion of the Mohammedans population of India he does not believe India is yet ripe to throw off the yoke of England," he said. "There is no doubt that some day the Indian revolution will come, but it is still far off and we must not count on it. The war has to be won by our own efforts and those of our Allies."

"Up risings in Russia and different parts of the British Empire may force our enemies to ask for peace sooner than they now intend, but this is only a possibility and we must reckon with realities. Victories of the battle-fields will decide the war, and nothing else."

"Tennessee NIGHT AT THE COLONIAL

MEMBERS OF CREW AND THEIR OFFICERS GIVEN ENTERTAINMENT THAT WILL LONG BE MEMBERED.

Almost off the entrance to the Thames estuary, whose mouth makes New London's wonderful harbor, perhaps a sort of delta cast up in some former day by the sediment which the estuary brought down. Fishers Island is a remarkable bit of land. It is within a bay to the entrance of Long Island sound and bears an important fort whose unseen guns would effectively serve, pour terrible hell on any above surface craft which should seek to enter for improper purposes the approach to New York and the Connecticut coast. Aside from this Fishers Island has at its western end a hotel or two and a few summer cottages and for the rest it is a great poultry range, where are raised in astonishing quantities chickens and ducks and turkeys and geese, says the New Haven Register.

If the now rumored plans are carried out the poultry will have to move before long to some spot that has less strategic military value. Young John Hays Hammond has invented a wire-controlled torpedo which it is anticipated will have wonderful possibilities if it will do what is claimed for it.

Use for Soapweed.

Setters in western Kansas are finding that there is money in the soapweed surprised that they have been hurrying to get it out of the way. Soap manufacturers are now paying \$8 a ton for the plant at the railway stations. Since a man can ordinarily get out a ton a day, the gathering of the soap weed gives the settler a chance to make good wages at a time when there is nothing to do on the farm or ranch. Besides, every plant means just that much more pasture ground. After cutting, the soapweed is allowed to dry from 80 to 90 days and is then hauled in ordinary broom-corn machines. This species of Spanish bayonet gathered by the Kansas farmers is technically known as bacata and has exceptionally large fruits. For a long time this weed has been made into a soapy decoction which the Indian and Mexican women have used, particularly for washing their hair. It is well suited for this purpose, as it contains no alkali. Present-day manufacturers use it for toilet and wool soaps.

Enormous Biplane.

The Russian Sikorsky biplane is the largest heavier-than-air machine yet invented. It has a wing-surface at least five times greater than that of the comendous Farman biplane. Its steel frame is 22 yards long. Its weight is over three and a half tons, and it can carry a "useful load" of over a ton. At least a quarter of a ton would consist of explosives. Nearly half a ton of fuel and oil is carried. The space between the planes is nine feet deep. The forepart of the machine consists of steel-walled cabins, extending over a length of about 30 feet. These cabins have large windows on each side, like those of an omnibus. The cabins are electrically lit at night. In cold weather they are heated through the exhaust.

Fact Versus Theory.

Certain theorists maintain that men and the so-called lower animals are what they eat. But Queenie, a year-old Bronx pet, entirely disproves the theory in person. Queenie is a baby Mongoose who has been reared on a nursing bottle, ginger snaps and soothsyrup, but she attacked a laborer in New York with the same ferocity she would have evinced had she been fed rich, raw red meat instead. But *Telegraph*.

Argentine Wines.

Production of wine in Argentina is one of the most important industries of the country. In 1912 the record production of 110,000,000 gallons was reached. Practically all of the wine produced in Argentina is of a common variety, and for table use only. The importation of Argentine wines is very

## WOMEN TAKE UP FARM WORK

War Has Made It More or Less Necessary in England—Use Special Costume.

Farm work for women has become fashionable. College girls from Town, Oxford and almost the entire continent from Shefield university are among the volunteers for war work in the fields, and girls who had previously devoted all their energies to sport and fashion are making a fad of it. A special costume for women farmers has been designed and exhibited.

This suit is made of tough brown linen fashioned into a long coat buttoned down the front. Knickerbockers of the same material are worn underneath, buttoning below the knee. This costume is not only cheap, but allows as much freedom of movement as man's dress. Because of the knickerbockers the women farmers can climb trees for pruning or picking fruit. Some profusion is encountered on the part of the old-fashioned farmers. When they receive an application for work from a girl who looks like the dairy maid of a comic opera, they are inclined to give a refusal on the spot.

Most of the applicants have little idea of what real farm work is like. They think of a roof-covered cottage, with tea served in the garden among the flowers, and an idyllic existence. But they are willing to learn about pigs, chickens and stock, and generally do well at fruit, picking and hay raking. London Mail.

## FUTURE OF FISHERS ISLAND

Possibility of Great Docks at Place Which Is Key to Long Island Sound.

Tennessee night at the Colonial Theatre was a success and the members of the ship's company, the officers and their wives, will remember the evening this coming season when they are down south in the warm climate. It was the object of the artists appearing on the stage last evening to give the boys a show that they wouldn't be likely to forget for months. They succeeded.

Jones and Green in their pinnacles pulled some comedy and made the big representative gathering laugh and then touched on some more serious subjects that made them think.

The lead set by Mr. Jones was accepted and followed by each of the two other teams and they did everything possible to present a show that will be remembered. Their efforts were heartily appreciated and the arts were applauded to the echo. Tennessee night was one of the banner entertainments that the Colonial management has presented.

## TO REMOVE DANDRUFF

Dandruff causes a feverish irritation of the scalp, the hair roots shrink, loose and then the hair comes out fast. To stop falling hair at once and rid the scalp of every particle of dandruff, get a 25-cent bottle of Danderine at any drug store, pour a little in your hand and rub well into the scalp. After a few applications all dandruff disappears and the hair stops coming out.

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The Warwick club held a smoke talk this evening.

Weatherwises are predicting an old fashioned snow storm.

Upholstering, hair mattresses renovated, Margeson Bros., Tel. 670.

It is to be hoped that the cold spell is broken for the present at least.

And now it is claimed that the ice in some of the ponds is too thick to be harvested.

Local horsemen are hoping for a snowfall of five or six inches to make good sleighing.

Lobsters and fish of all kinds caught by our own boats, fresh every day, E. Jameson and Sons, Tel. 246.

The Charity Ball of the 12th will be the big social event of the season in this city.

Pool Tables, \$3 and \$5 each. O-Cedar and Wizard Floor Mops, Matthews Hardware Store, Opp. P. O. The police blotter on Thursday morning contained the names of one for safe keeping and two for breaking and entering.

See the beautiful dolls and have your fortune told at the K. of C. fair, Freeman's hall, Jan. 24, 25, 26.

A few inches of snow would make excellent sleighing and as soon as it comes the Driving Club will arrange for another meet.

J. David Fraser, superintendent of Welcom hall mission, Montreal, will speak at the revival service at the First M. E. church this evening. All cordially invited.

The boxing fans should get a run for their money in the card arranged for this evening. Young Jasper in action is well worth the price of admission.

The annual meeting of the New Hampshire Historical Society will be held at the society's building in Concord on Thursday, Jan. 27. There are a good number of local members of the society.

Join the crowd, who always have a good time. Dancing at the K. of C. fair, Freeman's hall, Jan. 24, 25, 26.

The county commissioners have had a mystery woman on their hands, but after much work they have solved the problem and found the woman's identity and have arranged for her to be sent to relatives.

The placing of the attachment by local merchants on the property of the R. B. Phillips Company at Peacock's Point on Wednesday was no surprise as it had been expected for several days.

See the lady with the gown of a thousand pockets at the K. of C. fair, Freeman's hall, Jan. 24, 25, 26.

The departure of the U. S. S. Tennessee on Friday will be keenly felt by our local merchants as the cruiser carries a crew of 650 men, who during their stay at this yard have lost much money in the city.

Another telegram from Margeson Brothers: "Furniture manufacturers have announced an advance in prices. We were fortunate enough to buy at the right time and shall not advance our prices. In fact for the month of February on several hundred pieces of furniture we shall reduce the price." Engineering pre-eminence, social pre-eminence, unequalled V-type experience.

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## RYE BEACH HOTEL MAN SUED

### Miss Myrtle P. Webb Charges That William E. Carter Promised to Marry Her.

The most distinctive style features are embodied in this new ROYAL WORCESTER Special. The medium skirt, clearly curved waist and new medium high bust assure perfect style and comfort to the wearer.

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Rutland, Vt., Jan. 19.—A breach of promise suit has been brought against William E. Carter of Pittsford Vt., and Boston, Mass., by Miss Myrtle P. Webb of Rutland, Vt., who seeks to recover \$10,000. Mr. Carter is well known throughout the state having been identified with the Vermont Dairymen's Association. The case is returnable at the March term of the Rutland county court.

Mr. Carter was for two years president of the association, a member of the Rutland Country club and a trustee of Rutland Lodge of Elks.

The papers filed today allege that Miss Webb on Sept. 1, 1914, in Boston was asked for her hand in marriage and that she promised to marry Mr. Carter. He at the same time promised to marry her, and she alleged that she has since and is still willing to marry him.

The plaintiff claims she has since repudiated Mr. Carter of his promise and that on December 15, 1915, he refused to marry her. She claims that she has remained unmarried because of the promise of the defendant.

Deputy Sheriff Henry H. Adams attached the defendant's interest in a large stock farm in Pittsford, some blooded cattle and farm implements.

Mr. Carter is manager of a summer hotel at Rye Beach, N. H.

### MIDNIGHT CALLERS START ROUGH HOUSE

### Break Down Door of Lodging House and Assault the Proprietor.

Just as Benjamin F. Murray, who runs a lodging house at the corner of State and Penhallow streets was about to retire at midnight on Wednesday, he had two unexpected callers who wrecked part of his domicile and left Benjamin with a black eye as the result of his attempt to defend himself against the intruders.

These midnight callers were Elmer Lakes and John E. Cash. They appeared in the morning session of municipal court today on a charge of breaking and entering. Murray was there and he exhibited his discolored eye to the court and also told Judge Gifford what happened. He claimed that the two men called at his house and demanded admittance, which was refused. They attempted to force their way in and he forced them out. Murray was just recovering from the first skirmish when the warriors came back the second time full of fight. They made a second demand for admittance but the proprietor refused to grant the request. Lakes and Cash then got busy and forced the entrance by smashing the door and when Murray protested and attempted to put them out, one of them smashed him in the eye. Somebody passing by at the time noticed the police and Officers Kelley and Condon were soon on the scene and relieved Murray of any further wrangling.

In court today both men pleaded not guilty and claimed that their intent was a blank as to what had happened. The court held them each in the sum of \$200 and being unable to get bail they went to jail to await further hearing at the April term of superior court.

### THE FIRST RETURN

A lithograph picture of first return of the Sons and Daughters on July 4, 1853, showing the procession passing down Market street through the arches erected at the corner of Market Square is on exhibition in the window of Wendell's hardware store. It is the property of John August Hett.

Edward L. Patterson has recently built two new houses for himself.

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In five reels. Inspired by Owen Kildare's "My Mamie Rose." This photo dramatization of what Hall Caine, the famous author, has called the most remarkable book ever written, is a story which deals with a cross section of New York life with an appeal that is universal.

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10th story of the series entitled "POMP OF EARTH."

Three reels.

Cleo Madison in

#### THE RING OF DESTINY

Rox drama in two reels.

#### LIZZIE'S WATERY GRAVE

L-Ko Comedy.

Triangle Plays for Friday and Saturday—Dustin Farnum in "The Iron Strain," five reels; Charles Murray & Co. in "The Game Old Knight," in two reels.

"The Broken Coin," 21st episode.

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drugs, etc. The rooms have recently been renovated and in many ways made more comfortable for patients who may occupy them.

### THE HERALD HEARS

That an employee of the Portsmouth Brewing Company is some man after rats.

That while he was passing through Penhallow street he observed a big rat from the water front, crossing the highway.

That he went after the rat with an umbrella and had his hands full.

That the rat gave him quite a game of tag back and forth across the highway but he finally put a dent in the dome of the rodent and put him out.

That while he decreased the rodent family by one, he will spend some money for the repatriation of the rain protector.

That the cold weather has no terror for one of the leading musicians of this city.

That he dresses the same the year around and has worn no underwear, vest or overcoat for over thirty years.

That while his friends say he is fit with pneumonia he has his hands never had a bad cold and has never passed a doctor ever for any malady or accident.

That he claims he never feels the cold or the heat.

That some of the horsemen at Newington feel slighted because they were not invited to dig into the eats as well as the Portsmouth jockeys.

That burghers are busy in and around York.

That many of the local young ladies are making their first attempt at skating and are making good.

### COLONIAL THEATRE

#### Horse of Refined Vaudeville.

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Three more big feature acts we have booked for Thursday, Friday and Saturday. All are coming direct from Kelly's "big time" houses and all clever acts. See for yourself. The Hollander presents a scene musical novelty. Something different than the usual kind. Woolsey and Mather, man and woman, offer a song, talk and dance number entitled "The Blow Out." A comedy screen. Did you ever see a dog who could write or read your mind? Well, that's what Louis Kurin's partner does. Don't miss this wonderful combination act. A marvel.

Pictures for Today Only

"The Little Sister of the Poor"—Lillian drama. Just released Monday.

"Them Was the Good Old Days,"—Vitagraph comedy.

"Almost a King,"—Kalem comedy.

"Brought Home," 2 part Essanay drama.

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through Tobey's real estate agency the building, 44 Hanover street, formerly owned by Max Goodman and Harry Bassman, and will conduct an up-to-date automobile repair and general machine shop.

### ATTACH THE

### MUNITION PLANT

Local Firms Serve Papers on R. B. Phillips Company for \$16,800.

On Wednesday afternoon and Thursday forenoon, preliminary attachments were placed against the R. B. Phillips Company, by Deputy Sheriff William B. Shaw, amounting to \$16,800. The demand is made by six local business firms and the papers served on the local representatives of this company attach all material on hand, including machinery, lumber, brick, tools, and other equipment.

The attachments and amounts are the following:

V. A. Hett, \$3,000; Portsmouth Motor Mart, \$600; E. E. Chaffill, \$6,000;

W. R. Paul, \$900; Suddon Brothers, \$2,000; Fred A. Wood, \$300.

A superficial investigation of the case shows that the R. B. Phillips Company or the New England Steel and Ordnance Company have property to the value of more than \$100,000 at the plant, and it is not thought by the officials that any difficulty will be had by the claimants in securing their money. At present Mr. Woodbridge is at the plant in the capacity of an adjustor and Mr. Fiske, although in Boston last night, is the representative of the company in authority. No statement from either of these officials could be secured today. The service of the papers attaching the property of the company is not complete, and is in reality simply a notification that an action is under way.

### CANDIDATES ARE PLENTIFUL

Numerous candidates for the excise inspectorship now held by J. D. Hallisy of Nashua, are appearing. Inspector Hallisy's term expires next month. Among those who have been active in Concord are John H. Miller of Manchester, former scales of weights and measures, William S. Knox of Madbury, sergeant-at-arms of the 1913 state senate and a member of the 1913 legislature.

Charles R. Quinn of this city is also a prominent candidate and it is said that he will receive the appointment.

The much-fisher at Great Bay this week have had poor luck, no big catches being reported.

Beautiful embroideries and children's gowns at the K. of C. fair, Freeman's hall, Jan. 24, 25, 26.

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